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11. PRESIDENT TITO EXPRESSED HIS APPRECIATION OF THE EFFORTS WHICH THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT HAD UNDERTAKEN RECENTLY WITH A VIEW TO CURBING THE ANTI-YUGOSLAV TERRORIST ACTIVITIES IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. PRESIDENT CARTER EMPHASIZED THE OPPOSITION OF THE AMERICAN GOVERNMENT TO THE SEPARATIST ENDS AS WELL AS THE VIOLENT MEANS OF THESE TERRORISTS. THE TWO PRESIDENTS AGREED THAT IT IS THE OBLIGATIONS OF ALL CIVILIZED NATIONS AND PEOPLES TO CONTROL THE GROWING PROBLEM OF TERRORISM THROUGHOUT THE WORLD. THERE CAN BE NO MORAL OR POLITICAL JUSTIFICATION FOR SUCH ACTIVITIES.

12. WHILE EVALUATING THE PRESENT DEVELOPMENT OF COOPERATION BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES AS POSITIVE, THE TWO PRESIDENTS OBSERVED THAT THE LEVEL OF THESE RELATIONS WAS LAGGING BEHIND THE ACTUAL POSSIBILITIES. THEY EXPRESSED THEIR CONVICTION THAT CONSIDERABLE POSSIBILITIES EXIST FOR THE FURTHER PROMOTION OF TRADE COOPERATION ON A LONG-TERM AND MORE STABLE BASIS. THEY NOTED WITH PLEASURE THE BALANCED NATURE OF TRADE BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES. BUT THEY EMPHASIZED THE NEED TO EXERT JOINT EFFORTS WITH A VIEW TO EXPANDING COMMODITY EXCHANGE AND DEVELOPING CLOSER TIES, BY

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STRENGTHENING INDUSTRIAL COOPERATION, EXPANDING TOURISM AND TRANSPORT, UNDERTAKING JOINT VENTURES, FURTHER DEVELOPING FINANCIAL COOPERATION, IMPROVING OPPORTUNITIES FOR BUSINESS REPRESENTATIVES TO WORK IN THE TWO COUNTRIES, AND REMOVING

OBSTACLES TO TRADE AND INVESTMENT. (IF JOINT ECONOMIC BODY APPROVED WE SHOULD ADD FOLLOWING SENTENCE - "THE TWO PRESIDENTS WELCOME THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A JOINT ECONOMIC WORKING GROUP WHICH WILL FURTHER INCREASE TRADE AND ECONOMIC COOPERATION".)

13. THE TWO PRESIDENTS, AFFIRMING THE MAJOR ROLE THAT THESE PROGRAMS HAVE PLAYED IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF BILATERAL REALTIONS, EXPRESSED THE DETERMINATION OF THEIR GOVERNMENTS TO EXPAND AND IMPROVE COOPERATION IN THE FIELDS OF SCIENCE, CULTURE, TRANSFER OF TECHNOLOGY, AND INFORMATION. FURHTER, PRESIDNETS TITO AND CARTER AGREED THAT GREATER UNDERSTANDING BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC OF EACH SOCIETY'S CULTURAL AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENTS WOULD BE BENEFICIAL, AND THEREFORE THE EFFORTS OF THE YUGOSLAV INFORMATION CENTER(S) IN THE UNITED STATES AND THE US INFORMATION CENTERS IN YUGOSLAIVA ARE WELCOMED AND ENCOURAGED.

14. THE TWO PRESIDENTS THOROUGHLY EXAMINED MAJOR ISSUES IN THE SPHERE OF INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENTS. THEY DEVOTED SPECIAL ATTENTION TO QUESTIONS OF PEACE AND SECURITY IN THE WORLD AND TO THE PROMOTION OF INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION. THEY UNDERLINED IN PARTICULAR THAT THE PRINCIPLES OF ACTIVE PEACEFUL CO-EXISTENCE AND EQUAL COOPERATION SHOULD MORE AND MORE BECOME UNIVERSALLY APPLICABLE AMONG ALL COUNTIRES IRRESPECTIVE OF THEIR SOCIAL SYSTEMS, SIZE AND THE LEVEL OF DEVELOPMENT. EACH SIDE PRESENTED IN AN EXHAUSTIVE AND LUCID MANNER ITS STAND CONCERNING THE MOST IMPORT DEVELOPMENTS AND LIMITED OFFICIAL USE
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PROBLEMS FACING THE CONTEMPORARY WORLD.

15. THE TWO PRESIDENTS POINTED OUT IN PARTICULAR THE NEED TO HAVE THE POLICY OF DETENTE EXTENDED TO COVER ALL REGIONS OF THE WORLD AND ALL SPHERES OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS SO THAT ALL COUNTIRES COULD PARTICIPATE IN THE SETTLEMENT OF CURRENT INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS AND RENDER THEIR CONTRIBUTION TO THE STRENGTHENING OF PEACE AND SECURITY.

16. THE TWO PRESIDENTS RECOGNIZED THE INDISPENSABILITY OF BROAD COOPERATION, BASED ON EQUALITY OF ALL MEMBERS OF THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY AND ON THE PRINCIPLES OF THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS, IN SEEKING SOLUTIONS TO OUTSTANDING INTERNATIONAL ISSUES, STRESSING THAT THE UNITED NATIONS CONSTITUTES AN IRREPLACEABLE INSTRUMENT IN DEALING WITH ALL QUESTIONS OF CONCERN TO THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY AS A WHOLE. THEY ALSO EMPHASIZED THAT THE POLITY OF NON-LAIGNMENT REPRESENTS A MOST IMPORTANT FACTOR IN THE PRESENT-DAY WORLD TRENDS, WHICH CAN MAKE A MAJOR

CONTRIBUTION TO GREATER UNDERSTANDING AMONG PEOPLES IN THE
SEARCH FOR PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT OF INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS
AND RELATIONS.

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17. IN THIS CONNECTION, THE PRESIDENT OF THE
UNITED STATES STRESSED IN PARTICULAR THE IMPORTANCE OF
THE NON-ALIGNED POLICY PURSUED BY YUGOSLAVIA WHICH HAS
BEEN PLAYING A VERY SIGNIFICANT ROLE IN THE SEARCH FOR
SOLUTIONS TO A NUMBER OF WORLD PROBLEMS.

18. THE PRESIDENT OF THE SOCIALIST FEDERAL REPUBLIC
OF YUGOSLAVIA STRESSED THE IMPORTANCE OF THE ROLE PLAYED
BY THE WESTERN INDUSTRIALIZED DEMOCRACIES IN CONTRIBUTING
TO GLOBAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND POLITICAL STABILITY. IN
PARTICULAR HE WELCOMED THE STEPS TAKEN BY THE UNITED STATES
GOVERNMENT OVER THE PAST YEAR ON A NUMBER OF LONG-STANDING
ISSUES OF CONCERN TO THE NON-ALIGNED. AMONG OTHERS, HE
WELCOMED THE CONCLUSION OF THE NEW AGREEMENT ON THE
PANAMA CANAL, WHICH MARKS AN IMPORTANT CONTRIBUTION BY
THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE USA AND PANAMA TO THE STRENGTHENING
OF PEACE AND COOPERATION NOT ONLY IN THAT PART OF THE
WORLD BUT ALSO WITHIN THE BROADER CONTEXT OF THE INTERNATIONAL
COMMUNITY.

19. THE TWO PRESIDENTS EXPRESSED THEIR CONCERN OVER
THE NON-SOLUTION OF CRISES AND CRISIS HOTBEDS. THEY
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EXPRESSED THEIR CONVICTION THAT IT WAS NECESSARY TO EXERT ADDITIONAL EFFORTS IN ORDER TO FIND PEACEFUL SOLUTIONS TO THE BURNING AND DANGEROUS CONFLICTS, ESPECIALLY IN THE MIDDLE EAST AND AFRICA, BY WAY OF EXPANDING THE AREAS OF NEGOTIATION AND COOPERATION.

20. PRESIDNET TITO PRESENTED THE YUGOSLAV VIEWS ON THE SITUATION IN THE MIDDLE EAST AND POINTED OUT THAT ONLY THROUGH A COMPREHENSIVE, LASTING AND JUST SOLUTION IN THE MIDDLE EAST CAN BE SECURED THE INTERESTS OF ALL THE DIRECTLY INVOLVED PARTIES AND PEACE IN THIS REGION. THIS IMPLIES ISRAEL'S WITHDRAWAL FROM ALL ARAB TERRITORIES OCCUPIED IN 1967 AND THE RECOGNITION OF THE LEGITIMATE AND INALIENABLE RIGHTS OF THE PALESTINIANS, INCLUDING THE RIGHT TO SELF-DETERMINATION AND THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THEIR OWN INDEPENDENT STATES, AS WELL AS THE RECOGNITION OF THE RIGHT OF ALL STATES OF THAT REGION -- INCLUDING ISRAEL -- TO INDEPENDENCE AND SECURITY.

21. REVIEWING THE MIDDLE EAST CRISIS, PRESIDNET CARTER, FOR HIS PART, STATED THAT

22. WITH RESPECT TO THE CONFLICT BETWEEN ETHIOPIA AND SOMALIA, THE TWO PRESIDENTS POINTED OUT THAT THIS CONFLICT COULD ONLY BE SOLVED SUCCESSFULLY IN A PEACEFUL MANNER AND BY POLITICAL MEANS, IN CONFORMITY WITH THE PRINCIPLES OF THE CHARTER OF THE ORGANIZATION OF AFRICAN UNITY AND THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS. THEY CALLED UPON ALL OUTSIDE FORCES TO REFRAIN FROM INCREASING TENSION BY THE SUPPLY OF ARMS AND TO WITHDRAW FOREIGN FORCES.

23. THEY REITERATED THEIR RESOLUTE SUPPORT FOR THE STRUGGLE OF THE PEOPLE OF SOUTH AFRICA AGAINST APARTHEID

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AND THE POLICY OF RACISM. THEY ALSO VOICED THEIR FULL SUPPORT FOR THE ACCESSION OF INTERDEPENDENCE OF NAMIBIA AND THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE DEMOCRATIC MAJORITY RULE IN ZIMBABWE (RHODESIA).

24. THE TWO PRESIDENTS STRONGLY CONDEMNED ALL FORMS OF COLONIALISM AND RACIAL DISCRIMINATION AND POINTED TO THE NEED FOR EFFECTIVE PROTECTION OF HUMAN RIGHTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PRINCIPLES OF THE CHARTER OF THE UNITED NATIONS. ALTHOUGH OUR TWO GOVERNMENTS DIFFER IN

IMPORTANT RESPECTS ABOUT THE NATURE OF HUMAN RIGHTS,
THERE IS NO DISAGREEMENT ABOUT THE NECESSITY TO SUPPORT
MAN'S ETERNAL STRIVING FOR EACH INDIVIDUAL TO CONTROL
HIS OWN DESTINY. BOTH SOCIETIES SEEK TO ACHIEVE EQUALITY
OF OPPORTUNITY, ECONOMIC WELL-BEING AND POLITICAL FREEDOM.
OUR MEANS ARE VARIED, BUT OUR PEOPLES' DREAMS ARE COMMON.

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25. THE PRESIDENT OF THE SFR OF YUGOSLAVIA AND THE
PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA REVIEWED WITH
PARTICULAR ATTENTION THE WORRYING SITUATION IN THE WORLD
ECONOMIC RELATIONS IN GENREAL AND, ESPECIALLY, THE GAP
BETWEEN THE DEVELOPED AND DEVELOPING COUNTRIES.
RECOGNIZING THE GRAVITY OF THESE PROBLEMS AND BEING
CONVINCED OF THE INTERDEPENDENCE OF THE WORLD, THEY
STRESSED THE NEED FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF NECESSARY
CHANGES INTO THE WORLD ECONOMIC RELATIONS WITH A
VIEW TO GRADUALLY CREATING A NEW INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC
ORDER, TAKING ACCOUNT OF THE INTERESTS, AND RESPECTING
THE EQUALITY, OF ALL COUNTRIES, IN PARTICULAR THROUGH
INCREASED SUPPORT FOR ACCELERATED ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT
OF THE DEVELOPING COUNTRIES AND THROUGH A MORE EQUITABLE
AND BROADER LINKAGE OF ECONOMIES OF THE INDUSTRIALIZED
AND DEVELOPING COUNTRIES. THEY EMPHASIZED THE NEED
FOR THE DEEPENING OF EQUAL COOPERATION BETWEEN THE
INDUSTRIALIZED AND DEVELOPING COUNTRIES AS AN INDISPENSABLE

PRECONDITION FOR THE CONTINUATION OF THE DIALOGUE AIMED
AT THE SETTLEMENT OF EXISTING ECONOMIC PROBLEMS IN THE WORLD.
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26. THE TWO PRESIDENTS VOICED THEIR DEEP CONCERN
OVER THE CONTINUATION OF THE ARMS RACE WHICH RENDERS
VERY DIFFICULT THE SOLUTION OF SUBSTANTIAL POLITICAL,
ECONOMIC AND OTHER PROBLEMS BESETTING MANKIND TODAY.
BOTH GOVERNMENTS PROCEED FROM THE CONVICTION THAT
DURABLE PEACE IN THE WORLD AS A WHOLE CAN ONLY BE
ASSURED IF EFFECTIVE MEASURES ARE UNDERTAKEN AT
HALTING THE ARMS RACE AND ACHIEVING GENERAL AND COMPLETE
DISARMAMENT AS THE ULTIMATE GOAL. IN THIS CONNECTION,
THE TWO PRESIDENTS UNDERScoreD THE IMPORTANCE OF THE
FORTHCOMING SPECIAL SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
THE UNITED NATIONS DEVOTED TO BOTH NUCLEAR AND CONVENTIAONAL
DISARMAMENT.

27. THE TWO PRESIDENTS AGREED THAT THE DEVELOPMENT
OF ENERGY RESOURCES AND TECHNOLOGIES IS VITAL TO THE
ECONOMIES OF ALL NATIONS. THEREFORE, EFFORTS SHOULD
BE MADE TO GUARANTEE ACCESS TO ENERGY RESOURCES AND
TECHNOLOGIES WITHOUT DISCRIMINATION. IN REGARD TO
NUCLEAR TECHNOLOGY, BOTH PRESIDENTS AGREED THAT ALL
NATIONS HAVE A LEGITIMATE RIGHT TO USE NUCLEAR ENERGY
FOR PEACEFUL PURPOSES, WITH EFFECTIVE MEASURES TO PREVENT
THE POLIFERATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS. THEY SUPPORTED THE
ONGOING INTERNATIONAL FUEL CYCLE EVALUATION PROGRAM, IN
WHICH THE US AND YUGOSLAVIA PARTICIPATE, AND AGREED
THAT THE INFCE PROGRAM COULD MAKE AN IMPORTANT TECHNICAL
CONTRIBUTION TO THE MULTILATERAL CONFERENCE ON PEACEFUL
USES OF NUCLEAR ENERGY PROPOSED LAST AUTUMN BY THE UN
GENERAL ASSEMBLY. PRESIDENT TITO WELCOMED THE VIGOROUS
EFFORTS OF THE US TO ACHIEVE A BALANCED REDUCTION OF
NUCLEAR WEAPONS AND BOTH PRESIDENTS CONCURRED THAT SUCH
A REDUCTION WOULD DECREASE THE MOTIVATION OF NON-NUCLEAR
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STATES TO ACHIEVE A NUCLEAR WEAPONS CAPABILITY.

28. PRESIDNET CARTER REITERATED THE LASTING INTEREST
OF THE UNITED STATES IN, AND ITS SUPPORT TO, THE
INDEPENDENCE, INTEGRITY AND THE NON-ALIGNED POLICY OF
YUGOSLAVIA. DURING THE TALKS IT WAS POINTED OUT THAT
GOOD RELATIONS AND COOPERATION BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES

AND YUGOSLAVIA CONSTITUTE AN ESSENTIAL ELEMENT OF AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY AND THAT THE UNITED STATES IS INTERESTED IN A STRONG AND INDEPENDENT YUGOSLAVIA AS A FACTOR OF BALANCE, PEACE AND STABILITY IN EUROPE AND IN THE WORLD.

29. PRESIDENT TITO UNDERLINED HIS SUPPORT FOR AN ACTIVE AND CREATIVE AMERICAN ROLE IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS, PARTICULARLY RECENT AMERICAN INITIATIVES WHICH PROVIDE THE BASIS FOR CLOSER COOPERATION BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES, YUGOSLAVIA AND OTHER NON-ALIGNED COUNTRIES.

30. PRESIDENT TITO EXTENDED AN INVITATION TO PRESIDENT CARTER TO PAY AN OFFICIAL VISIT TO YUGOSLAVIA. THE INVITATION WAS ACCEPTED WITH PLEASURE.
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